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**MAIL STOP PATENT APPLICATION**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Re: Application of **Alberto ARDUINO** entitled

**A BENDING PRESS WITH A SUBSTANTIALLY UNDEFORMABLE  
TOOLHOLDER BEAM**

Our Ref. **Q77536**

Dear Sir:

Attached hereto is the application identified above comprising 13 sheets of the specification, including the claims and abstract, 4 sheets of drawings, and a copy of an executed Declaration and Power of Attorney.

**Applicant claims benefit of small entity status in accordance with 37 CFR § 1.27.**

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| Total claims       | <u>9</u> | - | 20 | = | <u>0</u> | x | \$9.00  | = | <u>\$0.00</u>   |
| Independent claims | <u>1</u> | - | 3  | = | <u>0</u> | x | \$43.00 | = | <u>\$0.00</u>   |
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